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Customer No. 22,852  
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Francisco PARRA

Application No.: 10/006,695

Filed: March 18, 2002

For: PROCESS FOR THE MANUFACTURE OF  
AN EASY OPEN DEVICE FOR "FLOW  
PACK" OR SIMILAR PACKAGES WITH  
LONGITUDINAL SEAMS (As Amended)

Group Art Unit: 3721

Examiner: Sameh Tawfik

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action of November 21, 2003. The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

- ☒ Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$110.00 for the Extension is enclosed.

The claims are calculated below:

	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	Additional Fee
Total	13	-	20	0	x \$ 18	\$ 0
Indep.	1	-	3	0	x \$ 86	0
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Subtotal						\$ 0
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TOTAL						\$ 0

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- ☐ A fee of \$[Fee] to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.
- ☐ A fee of \$[Fee] to cover [Title of other paper(s)] is enclosed.
- ☒ A check for \$110.00 to cover the above fee is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Dated: March 22, 2004

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